

PROPOSED

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1599

(Reference to Senate engrossed bill)

1 Page 1, between lines 1 and 2, insert:

2 "Section 1. Section 15-189.05, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended
3 to read:

4 15-189.05. Charter school budgets; posting of teacher salary
5 information; annual report; civil penalty

6 A. The budget for each charter school shall contain the following
7 information:

8 1. The average salary of all teachers employed by the charter school
9 for the current year.

10 2. The average salary of all teachers employed by the charter school
11 for the previous year.

12 3. The dollar increase in the average salary of all teachers
13 employed by the charter school for the current year.

14 4. The percentage increase in the average salary of all teachers
15 employed by the charter school for the current year.

16 B. Each charter school shall prominently post the information
17 required by subsection A of this section on its website home page
18 separately from its budget.

19 C. On or before November 30 of each year, the department of
20 education shall electronically submit to the joint legislative budget
21 committee and the governor's office of strategic planning and budgeting a
22 report that compiles the information required by subsection A of this

1 section for all charter schools statewide. THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
2 SHALL PROMINENTLY POST THE REPORT ON THE DEPARTMENT'S WEBSITE.

3 D. BEGINNING JANUARY 1, 2024, IF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION
4 DETERMINES THAT A CHARTER SCHOOL IS IN VIOLATION OF THE POSTING REQUIREMENT
5 PRESCRIBED IN SUBSECTION B OF THIS SECTION, INCLUDING A POSTING THAT DOES
6 NOT CONTAIN ALL OF THE INFORMATION REQUIRED PURSUANT TO SUBSECTION A OF
7 THIS SECTION, THE DEPARTMENT SHALL NOTIFY THE CHARTER SCHOOL THAT IT IS IN
8 VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION AND THAT THE DEPARTMENT MAY IMPOSE A CIVIL
9 PENALTY IF THE CHARTER SCHOOL DOES NOT CORRECT THE VIOLATION. IF THE
10 DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION DETERMINES THAT THE CHARTER SCHOOL HAS FAILED TO
11 CORRECT THE VIOLATION WITHIN SIXTY DAYS AFTER THE NOTICE IS ISSUED PURSUANT
12 TO THIS SUBSECTION, THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION SHALL IMPOSE A CIVIL
13 PENALTY OF NOT MORE THAN \$5,000 FOR EACH DAY THAT THE VIOLATION CONTINUES
14 AFTER THE SIXTY-DAY PERIOD. ACTIONS TAKEN UNDER THIS SUBSECTION ARE
15 SUBJECT TO APPEAL PURSUANT TO TITLE 41, CHAPTER 6, ARTICLE 10."

16 Renumber to conform

17 Amend title to conform

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